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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Yoshimasa SASAOKA

Application No.: 09/721,770

Confirmation No.: 4443

Filed: November 27, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2624

Allowed: May 27, 2005

Examiner: K. Poon

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Commissioner for Patents
Customer Window
Randolph Building
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and subject to the recommendation of the Examiner and the approval of the Commissioner, and without withdrawing the case from issue, please amend the application as follows: